HAPPINESS IS 4-H

By Frank H. Sweet
Extension Agent

Thirty six Appomattox 4-H'ers took part in the Area Junior 4-H Contest at Brookville High School. Twenty-two of these 4-H'ers were first place winners with an additional nine 4-H'ers being second place winners. We're especially proud of each of the 4-H'ers who took part. Many parents and teenagers also assisted with the program which involved 4-H'ers from Amherst, Halifax, Campbell and Bedford as well as Appomattox.

The real strength of such a program is shown by parental participation. We were glad to see many parents of Appomattox 4-H'ers involved in the program Saturday.

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The East Central District 4-H Horse and Pony Schooling Clinic will be conducted in two sessions this summer. The first portion (Hunter Division) will be at the Wintergreen Riding Center on July 8. The second portion (English and Western) will be at Holiday Lake on July 15. 4-H'ers with horse projects will be sent details later.

Laurie McLean, Rhonda Nash and David Caldwell assisted Mr. Don Jimison with a TV show about opportunities at 4-H Camp last week. The show was aired over WSET's Farm and Home Show this past Saturday.

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The annual 4-H Dog Show will be held on Tuesday, May 30, at 7 p.m. on the football field at Appomattox Middle School. All 4-H'ers with dogs were eligible to participate in this fun event which is sponsored by Lawson Ford.

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4-H'ers in the Photography project may be interested in submitting black and white prints, color prints or slides for the National 4-H Photo Exhibition. Deadline for entries will be mid-summer. Details are available from the Extension Office.

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Raiderette Tennis

After a week long lay-off, the Raiderettes traveled to Rustburg on Thursday, April 27th and were defeated 8-1. Susan Smith was defeated 10-3 by Amy Johnson. Teresa Lettner was defeated 10-3 by Ann Evans. Pam Guill was defeated 10-3 by Burks Overby. June Harris and Jan May stayed tied up throughout the match until they reached 6-6, then Jan May pulled away to win the next four games with the final score 10-6. Kim Hipps and Sharon Bryant both lost to their opponents 10-9 with a 5-4 tiebreaker, the winners being Julie Johnson and Janet Harder, respectively.

In doubles action the lack of practice still remained the plague for the Raiderettes. Susan Smith and Pam Guill were defeated 10-4 by Burks Overby and Amy Johnson. Teresa Lettner and Sue Lawson were defeated 8-6 by Julie Johnson and Sue Ener-son in a close match. It was not until the last doubles that the Raiderettes were able to get a win with Rindy Lawson and Kim Hipps defeating Kim Bennett and Janet Harder 8-2.

On Friday the Raiderettes hosted Randolph-Henry in a non-district contest, and defeated them 6-3. The Raiderettes lost the first two single matches with Cheryl Canada defeating Susan Smith 8-2 and Marsha Bailey defeating Teresa Lettner 8-3. However, the Raiderettes turned the tables and won the next two single matches with Pam Guill defeating Susan McCullar 8-5 and June Harris defeating Lisa Pettus 8-1. Kim Hipps was defeated by Artriana Dennis 7-6 with a 5-2 tiebreaker. Rindy Lawson defeated Mitzi Mason 6-1, making the match even at 3-3.

In doubles action the Raiderettes made it a clean sweep taking all three matches. Susan Smith and Pam Guill defeated Cheryl Canada and Marsha Bailey 8-6. Teresa Lettner and Sue Lawson defeated Susan McCullar and Lisa Pettus 6-3, and June Harris and Kim Hipps defeated Artianna Dennis and Mitzi Mason 6-1. The Raiderettes have a 3-4 overall record and 1-4 district record.

Pamplin

The UMW of Pamplin Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Grace Covington Monday, May 8, at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Patterton, of Bolton, Conn., and Mr. and Mrs. John Ligon, of Cheriton, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard T. Williams, Jr. last week.

Mr. Lloyd Inge returned home last Sunday from Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Abbitt and son, of Wytheville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Farrar last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Coleman returned home last week from Hawaii enroute from Hawaii. They visited their son, James, in Los Angeles and cousin in San Diego, Calif.

Couples Golf Tournament

Falling River Country Club's first Couples Tournament of the year is scheduled for Sunday, May 14. This will be an 18 hole Captain's Choice Tournament to be followed by a covered dish supper for participants. The club is providing meat, bread and beverages.

Participants are being asked to assemble at the club at 1:30 for a tee off time at 2 p.m.

Couples are encouraged to sign up on the bulletin board located on lower level outside the Pro Shop as soon as possible. Anyone wishing to play, but needing a partner, please leave name at the Pro-Shop and the Couple's Tournament Committee will assist in locating a playing partner.

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SPORTS

BY BILLY CONNER

WINNERS in F.R.C.C. Scramble Mixed-Doubles Tennis Tournament, held last week end, were John Spahr, left and Mary Lou Harrison.

RUNNERS-UP in F.R.C.C. Scramble Mixed-Doubles Tennis Tournament, were Ruby Ferguson, left and Sonny Farris.

SEMI-FINALISTS in F.R.C.C. Tennis Tournament were from left, Brenda Goodwin, Tommy Wilhoit and Janette Spahr. Tommy's Brian partner of Brenda Goodwin was not available for picture.

Tennis Tournament Held At F.R.C.C.

The tennis season officially opened last week end at F.R.C.C. when eleven couples participated in the Scrambled Mixed-Doubles Tournament.

John Spahr and his partner, Mary Lou Harrison, were declared the winners Sunday afternoon after they defeated Sonny Farris and Ruby Ferguson in straight sets, 7-6 and 7-5, the first set being decided by a tiebreaker.

Saturday was a long hard day of tennis with many good matches and a few spills. All matches except the finals were completed that day. In semi-finals action Spahr and Harrison were down one set before coming back to defeat Tommy O'Brien and Brenda Goodwin, 2-6, 6-2, 6-2. The other semi-final match was won by Farris and Ferguson, 6-4 and 6-2 over Tommy Wilhoit and Janette Spahr.

The players enjoyed a supper at the Pizza Hut following Saturday's play.

Raiderettes Whip Bees

The Raiderettes, playing only one game last week, knocked off the Brookville Bees 23-8 on Friday, April 28.

The Raiderettes played one of their best defensive games of the season as they held the Bees to only 8 runs off of 17 hits and 1 walk. Johnna Belter went the distance on the mound to record her third win this year.

The Raiderettes blasted out 23 hits, 8 of them for extra bases, as they scored their 23 runs. Thirteen stolen bases helped the Raiderettes score in every inning.

Connie Murray, Debbie Smith and Susan Handy led the team in hitting. Connie had a single, 2 doubles and 3 RBI's. Debbie hit a single, double and 2 triples during in 4 runs. Susan had a single, triple and home run and 4 RBI's. Vanessa Smith and Roni Franklin drove in 3 runs each.

The lost left Brookville 0-3 in district play and 1-4 overall. The Raiderettes upped their overall record to 4-4 and 2-2 in the district.

The Raiderettes play three games this week. The home game with Gretna rained out on April 25, will be played May 3, 4:30.

PAMPLIN MAYOR AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE PAMPLIN COMMUNITY CENTER, JIM WILLIAMS, throws out first pitch to Eugene Taylor at first Little League game at Pamplin Field Tuesday night. All of the Pamplin teams' games will be played at Pamplin on Tuesday and Thursday nights. Little League games will begin at 6:30 and Major League games at 8 p.m. No admission will be charged. Refreshments will be available at the snack bar.

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MAY 1 - Mrs. Clyde Moore spent the week with Mr. H. O. Martin and Emory Martin.

Mr. H. O. Martin, Mrs. Clyde Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Martin and Mrs. Geraldine Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Eural Martin and Don Martin of Lynchburg last Tuesday afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Martin were Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Martin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Carter and Karen and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Moore, Debbie Gwen and her cousin.

Mr. H. C. Moore, Mrs. Tom Schmutz and Edward visited Mrs. David Martin recently.

Shannon Jamerson spent Thursday with her grandmother, Mrs. Gertrude Burge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Moore spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and Jerry Moore. Mrs. Sandra Hillsman is spending some time in this home.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schmutz and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Houston Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Moore and girls and Mrs. H. C. Moore.

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ROCKS

MAY 1 - There will be lots of fruit if we don't have frost. Thankful for the rain that came last week.

The Ladies Adult Sunday School had a class meeting with Mrs. B. B. Harris, Sr. on Monday afternoon. Fourteen were present. Everyone enjoyed the get-together.

Andy Anderson entered Lynchburg General Hospital on Tuesday for surgery. He returned home on Saturday.

Larry Inge was operated on at Lynchburg General Hospital on Wednesday.

Get well wishes is extended these two.

A number from here were in Farmville last Monday.

Mrs. Nancy Dickerson, Sadie Brightwell and Cassie Baldwin, of Pamplin, attended the spring luncheon of the Appomattox Chapter of the Longwood Alumni Association on Saturday at the John Mosby Inn Restaurant at 12:30.

Helen Inge, Christine Carson and Louise Dillon attended a very inspiring electric meeting in Crewe on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynford Cumby celebrated their 41st wedding anniversary on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lowe, of Roanoke, called by to see Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Roach on Friday afternoon enroute to Blackstone.

Mary Helen McLaughlin, of Appomattox, was the overnight guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Laughlin on Friday night.

Sympathy goes out to the Jenkins family in the death of Mrs. Addie Jenkins of Liberty Nursing Home in Lynchburg on Tuesday. The funeral and burial service was held on Thursday at Robinson Funeral Home in Appomattox.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Martin and Bob left Saturday for Maryland to put their last tobacco on the market to sell this week.

A large crowd attended the stork shower given Juanita Rickmond on Saturday night at Evergreen Community Center.

No preaching service at Rocks on Sunday night, May 7, and Wednesday night, May 10, in favor of the Tommy Sesler Crusade at the Bragg Stadium Field, beginning next Sunday night.

The Training Union will be held on Sunday at 6:30 p.m. Come on out for this.

STONEWALL

Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord they God in vain. Deut. 5:11

Mrs. Madlyn McNulty and children spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bondurant and Richard.

Last weeend Mr. and Mrs. John Alvis Sr. went to Fredericksburg, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wheeler and Jay Wheeler of Richmond visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wheeler. Thursday they will go on a plane trip to Denver, Colorado on a life insurance convention. Hope they have a safe trip.

Rev. and Mrs. Mitchell and sons Rickey and Bobby visited their sons in Tennessee for the weekend.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones, Richard, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler and Mrs. Jimmi Bondurant last Friday.

Thursday Mrs. Hazel Gallespie spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler.

Mr. Leslie Toddy came home from the hospital on Friday. He is improving slowly. Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler visited him on Saturday.

Mr. Hugh Bradford is holding his own . He is still a patient at the McGuire Hospital in Richmong, Va.

Mrs. Tom Davidson is slowly improving.

Mrs. James Jordan of Concord visited her mother Mrs. Elsie Caldwell and Mrs. Nina Caldwell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harding and Robert and Mary went to Lowesville to hear his nephew preach at Piney River Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Firkin, of Lynchburg, visited her sister, Mrs. Juanita Ewers, Sunday.

Mr. Jon McCraw, of Charlottesville, spent the week end at home.

HOLLYWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Beasley, of Glendale Heights, Ill., visited Mr. Beasley's mother, Mrs. Virgie Beasley, last week. They visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beasley and family in Appomattox, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hamlett and family, of Hurt, and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beasley and family of Wytheville, Va. while here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Inge, of Chester, Va., visited his sister, Mrs. Virgie Beasley, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coffey, of Covington, spent a few days last week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Mayberry and Mrs. Ioan Mayberry, of Newport News, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wingfield and Stuart, of Roanoke, were visitors Sunday in this home. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield, Miss Julia Wingfield and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and children visited the Deaners Sunday afternoon.

Miss Dawn Deaner returned home Friday from the hospital. We're so glad she is improving nicely.

Our deepest sympathy is extended the family and love ones of Mrs. Addie Jenkins who passed away last week.

Mr. George Jennings remains in a critical condition in the University Hospital in Charlottesville. Our prayers are with him and his love ones.

Mrs. J. L. Torrence spent the week end with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Torrence, and family. Mrs. Torrence spent Sunday night and Monday with Mrs. W. T. Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Torrence were week end guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Torrence, and family, of Woodbridge, Va.

Mrs. James Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman and Mrs. J. L. Torrence were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Gilliam, of Farmville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jenkins, of Lynchburg, visited Mr. H. W. Jenkins Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson during the week were Mr. Alfred Almond and Jeff Kendrick and Mrs. Ricky Woodall. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Inge visited Mr. and Mrs. Watson Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Webb were visitors in this home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Julia Wingfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Johnson and family, of Farmville, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Whit Woodall visited his aunt, Mrs. Mary Bagby Thursday. Mrs. H. A. Paulette and Mr. D. O. Kepler, of Appomattox, were visitors Friday afternoon of Mrs. Bagby. Others visiting in this home during the week end were Mr. Leslie Goin, of Roanoke, Mrs. Kenneth Wingfield, Mrs. Ioan Mayberry, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wingfield and family, Mrs. Clarence Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Almond, the Thomas Woodalls and W. H. Wingfields.

Mr. Martin Webb and Mr. Clarence Webb are both patients in the Virginia Baptist Hospital. We wish for each of them a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Webb were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Franklin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Webb, Miss Joyce Webb, Miss Odell Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sheets visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and family Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Smith were visitors Sunday night of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Webb and family.

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All Teachers	ACHS Auditorium Instructional Dept. Meetings In assigned schools	Aug. 21, 1978 9:00 a.m. EDT 1:00 p.m. EDT Aug. 22-25, 1978
First day of School	Monday	Aug. 28, 1978
Labor Day	Close Friday p.m. Open Tues. a.m.	September 1, 1978 Sept. 5, 1978
Thanksgiving	Close Wed. p.m. Open Monday a.m.	Nov. 22, 1978 Nov. 27, 1978
Christmas	Close Thursday p.m. Open Tues. a.m.	Dec. 21, 1978 Jan. 2, 1978
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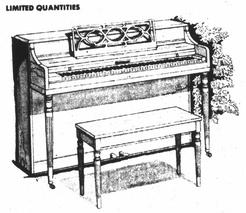

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